

**In the blessed name of the Tri-une God, Self-existent,
Beginningless and Endless, Perfect in Being, (Glory be to Him)**

**Moran Mar Baselios Marthoma Paulose II Catholicos of the East and
Malankara Metropolitan enthroned on the Apostolic Throne of St. Thomas**



No. 101/2017

Blessings to our beloved Vicars of the churches, Priests of the locality, *Kaisthanees* and faithful of all the Parishes!

Our dearly beloved in the Lord,

The Malankara Syrian Christian Association convened on 1 March 2017 at Mar Elia Cathedral in M.D.Seminary Complex, Kottayam has elected members of the Managing Committee for the period 2017-2022, Fr. Dr. M. O. John, Madathil as the Priest Trustee and Mr. George Paul, Embasseril as the Lay Trustee of the Church as per the Constitution of the Church. Besides extending our hearty greetings to them, we pray to the Almighty to strengthen and enable them to work for the edification of the Holy Church and the Kingdom of God, relying on the power of God and abiding by the Constitution of the Church. We also express our thanks and love to the members of the Managing Committee who completed the five year term and to our beloved Rev. Fr. Dr. Johns Abraham Konat and Mr. M.G. George Muthoot who served the Church for the last ten years in two consecutive terms as the Priest Trustee and Lay Trustee respectively. May the Almighty bless them abundantly for their sincere work for the Holy Church.

The Malankara Syrian Christian Association Managing Committee held on 4 April 2017 elected Adv. Biju Oommen Muringasseril for the post of the Association Secretary. Through this Kalpana we inform you all that we have approved the said election as per Clause 75 of the Constitution of the Malankara Orthodox Church and appointed him as the Association Secretary through our Kalpana no. 60/2017 dated 4 April 2017. We express our heart full thanks and love to our beloved Dr. George Joseph Vayalirakkathu, who served the Church efficiently as the Association Secretary for the last ten years in two consecutive terms. We also congratulate Adv. Biju Oommen who has assumed office as the new Association Secretary. May God grant him wisdom and capability in his path of action!

May the Grace and Blessings of God Almighty abide with you forever! And may the prayers of the Mother of our God the Holy Virgin Mary, St. Thomas the Apostle of India, our Holy Fathers Mar Gregorios, Mar Dionysius and all the Holy Saints be a stronghold for us. Amen.

Our Father who art in Heaven.....

Baselios Marthoma Paulose II

From Catholicate Aramana
Devalokam, Kottayam, Kerala, India
On April 27, 2017.